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Sundays:

8 a.m. Holy Communion
10 a.m. Family Eucharist & Sunday School

Mondays:

6 p.m. Guided Meditation (Side Chapel)

Tuesday - Friday

8 a.m. Morning Prayer
6 p.m. Evening Prayer
6.30 p.m. Holy Eucharist

Also on Wednesday:

Holy Communion 12 noon.

Saturday:

Morning Prayer 8 a.m.
Eucharist 8.30 a.m.
Evening Prayer 6 p.m.

Confessions are heard by appointment

The St George's Times

Aubrey Walk, London, W8



Trinity 2

1st June 2008

WELCOME TO ST GEORGE'S

Come, you who have much faith and you who have little, and you who have not been for a long time, you who have been here often, you who have tried to follow and you who feel you have failed.

Come, not because I invite you, but because God does; and, as you are welcomed, go, and welcome others.

We welcome you to our worship this morning.

We hope God's Holy Spirit will touch your heart and that you may be strengthened by Word and Sacrament.

Guest Preacher Today

I am delighted to welcome on your behalf as our preacher this Sunday, Canon Dr Christopher Kolade.

Christopher left us recently, having completed his tour of duty as Nigerian High Commissioner here in London. We are privileged to have him with us as he is much in demand as a preacher, having been, in addition to his diplomatic duties, a Lay Canon at Guilford Cathedral.

He is veteran broadcaster having been the Director – General of the Nigerian Broadcasting Corporation. He was also Chief Executive and Chairman of Cadbury Nigeria Plc and has served in many national and international bodies including the World Association for Christian Communication. He received the medal of the Order of St. Augustine from the Archbishop of Canterbury (1981). We are delighted he joins us today.

THE NEW ROTA HAS NOW BEEN SENT OUT !!

Remember: If you are unable to participate on a day allocated to you, please use the contacts list to find someone to take your place. **Please do not leave it to the last minute!**

Anne Hobson has asked if someone could take her place as sidesman on 6th August? If you can, please amend the rota on the notice board.

Festive Choral Evensong

There will be a special Festival Choral Evensong at **St Philip's Church, Earl's Court Road**, London W8 on **Sunday 20th July at 5p.m.** with the Choir of The Royal Parish Church of St Martin-in-the-Fields (Director of Music: Nicholas Danks).

Faiths in Creation

An interesting and thought provoking inter-faith conference on religion and climate change.

9:30am – 4:30pm, Thursday 12 June 2008

Brinkman Room, Heythrop College, Kensington Square, London W8 5HQ.

The conference is free and open to all. If you would like to attend, contact Mark Leonard on m.leonard@heythrop.ac.uk or 020 7795 4244 for more details.

Go to '**Projects**' on www.heythrop.ac.uk/HIREPL for more on Faiths in Creation.



Heythrop Institute for Religion, Ethics & Public Life
&
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Heythrop College, University of London

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What difference can religion make to the response to climate change and the depletion of natural resources?

How can the major UK faiths, with their traditions of stewardship and justice, work together to motivate change?

In 2007, the Faiths in Creation project set out to explore these questions through a series of inter-faith conversations. This conference invites a wider audience to join in developing our thinking on themes such as the place of humanity in creation, religious belief and security, religion and the economy as a tool for change, and models of religious leadership.

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Today's Gospel Reading Matthew 7.21-29



It's all well and good to listen to what Jesus has to say and praise him in wonderful hymns, even speak of mystical experiences and be very pious; but, if we do nothing about it, it is as superficial and flimsy as any building with no foundation. Demonstrating by our actions that Jesus is Lord speaks louder than words. Putting Jesus' teaching into positive action in our world and so making the aim of our life to discover the will of God – that is truly foundational. That's what being a Christian is all about.

Saint of the week - St Boniface

Saint Boniface c. 672 – June 5, 754, the Apostle of the Germans, born Winfrid or Wynfrith at Crediton in the kingdom of Wessex (now in Devon, England), he was a missionary who propagated Christianity in the Frankish Empire during the 8th century. He is the patron saint of Germany and the Netherlands.

He was killed in Frisia in 754. His tomb is in the crypt of Fulda Cathedral. Boniface was of a respected and prosperous family. It was somewhat against his father's wishes that he devoted himself at an early age to the monastic life. He received his theological training in the Benedictine monasteries of Adescanastre, near Exeter and Nursling, on the western edge of Southampton, under the abbot Winbert. Boniface taught in the abbey school and at the age of 30 became a priest. He wrote the first Latin grammar produced in England.



Blessing of the Animals

All animals and pets are welcome (with their human friends) on **Friday 6th June at 12.30pm** at CHRIST CHURCH Eldon Road's famous annual: **'BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS'**

Address by Ben Fogle, - followed by refreshments



SAINT STEPHEN'S FESTIVAL OF ARTS AND FAITH 30th May - 6th June 2008

Saint Stephen's Church Gloucester Road, London SW7 4RL

ART EXHIBITION Friday 30th May 3pm - 8pm with wine, Jazz Piano. 6pm Official Opening. Exhibition will be open daily 11am - 6pm, Sunday 11am - 3pm. Watercolours and Silk Screen Prints by Cecil Rice. Etchings from Creation and Fall and Watercolour - Etchings by Diana Green. Apt Creations - Creative and meaningful work to people with special needs.

Each Midday at 1pm: Free Recital (collection)

Monday 30th May: *Gwan Hahn, piano*
 Monday 2nd June: *Organ recital by William Vann*
 Tuesday 3rd June: *Lydia Shelley, cello; Amy de Sybel, piano*
 Wednesday 4th June: *Leah Johnston, violin; Tony Ingham, piano*
 Thursday 5th June: *Nadia Mokhtari, piano*
 Friday 6th June: *Emily Louise Heathcote, clarinet; Jason Anderson, piano*

Sunday 1st June Festival Thanksgiving Mass 11am

Preacher, Canon Martin Warner, Canon Treasurer, St. Paul's Cathedral Monteverdi, Missa in illo tempore "Visita, quaesumus Domine" by Richard Peirson

Saturday 31st May University of London Symphony Orchestra - 7.30pm

Prokofiev, Violin Concerto No. 1 in D Tchaikovsky, Symphony No. 6 in B minor "Pathétique" Kitty Cheung, violin; John Forster, conductor
Tickets £8/£7 Student/concessions £5 Tickets at www.ulso.co.uk

Tuesday 3rd June Songs by Schubert, Ireland, Finzi, & others - 7.30pm

Samuel Evans, bass-baritone; William Vann, piano. Finalists in the 2007 Kathleen Ferrier Awards. **Tickets £12/£8 concessions.**
www.williamvann.com/st-stepens

Thursday 5th June Nephele Ensemble - 7.30pm

Nicola Smedley, flute; Samantha Wickramasinghe, violin; Rebecca Hewes, cello; Beverley Parry, viola; William Vann, piano. Music by Duruflé, Bridge, Mozart, Martinu. **Tickets £12/£8 con.** www.williamvann.com/st-stepens

Friday 6th June Imperial College Choir - 8pm

Conductor, Colin Durrant. Puccini, Messa di Gloria for tenor, baritone and orchestra. Vaughan Williams, Serenade to Music (1938).

Tickets purchased in advance £7 & £3, on the door £9 & £4. Student Concession £3. Tickets available from Blyth Music Centre, Imperial College on 020 7594 9354